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हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार

HORTICULTURE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Shimla-2, the 21st December, 2006

No. NIC-8/03-3844.—It has come to the notice of the undersigned that some unscrupulous nursery persons are indulging in the import of various kinds of fruit plants of unknown pedigree from out side the state and selling in Himachal Pradesh without getting permission from the undersigned. There is every likely-hood of introduction of new pests and diseases with the unauthorized plant material in the state. Some registered nursery growers/persons also sell their plants in the tribal areas of Himachal Pradesh which can also cause introduction of pest and diseases in the tribal areas.

In supersession of Directorate of Horticulture Himachal Pradesh Notification No. NIC 20-89/6283-6492 dated 13-2-1996 and keeping in view the hazardous effects of various pests and diseases which has to be quarantined. I therefore in exercise of powers vested in me *vide* section 17 of the Himachal Pradesh Fruit Nurseries Registration Act 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973) as delegated to me *vide* H.P. Govt. Notification No. 6-6/70-Agr. Sectt. Dated 19th February, 1974 hereby completely ban the import and

export of all types of nursery fruit plant material (Seedlings, bud wood, air layered and grafted plants etc.) in the State of Himachal Pradesh. This ban will also be applicable in taking nursery plant material to the tribal areas within Himachal Pradesh without obtaining the prior permission of the undersigned or the Government in writing, after completing all the codal formalities like submission of Phytosanitary Certificate and inspection note etc. issued by the Nursery Inspection and Certification Officers/Plant Protection Officers/Subject Matter Specialist (Plant Protection)/authorized team of officers of the department in the department of Horticulture, Himachal Pradesh.

All the persons who so ever may indulge in violation of these orders would be prosecuted under section 17 of the Himachal Pradesh Fruit Nurseries Registration Act, 1973. These orders would come into force from the date of issue.

Dr. C. R. SHARMA,
Director of Horticulture,
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.